

shiva kavacha stotram

rishabha yogeeshvara

asya shree shiva kavacha stotra mahaa mantrasya
rishabha yogeeshvara rushihi |
anushTup Chandaha |
shree saamba sadaashivo devataa |
om beejam |
namaha shaktihi |
shivaayeti keelakam |
shree saamba sadaashiva preetyarthe jape viniyogaha ||

karanyaasaha

om sadaashivaaya angushThaabhyaam namaha |
nam gangaadharaaya tarjaneebhyaam namaha |
mam mrutyunjayaaya madhyamaabhyaam namaha |
shim shoalapaaNaye anaamikaabhyaam namaha |
vaam pinaakapaaNaye kanishThikaabhyaam namaha |
yam umaapataye karatala karaprushThaabhyaam namaha |

hrudayaadi anganyaasaha

om sadaashivaaya hrudayaaya namaha |
nam gangaadharaaya shirase svaahaa |
mam mrutyunjayaaya shikhaayai vashaT |
shim shoalapaaNaye kavachaaya hum |
vaam pinaakapaaNaye netratrayaaya vaushaT |
yam umaapataye astraaya phaT |
bhoorbhuvah suvaromiti digbandhaha ||

dhyaanam

vajradamshTram trinayanam kaalakanTham arindamam |
sahasrakaram ati ugram vande shambhum umaapatim ||

rudraaksha kankaNa lasatkara danDayugmah paalaantaraalasita bhasmadhruta
tripunDraha |
panchaaksharam paripaThan varamantraraajam dhyaayan sadaa pashupatim
sharaNam vraje ||

atah param sarvapuraaNa guhyam nihshesha paapaughaharam pavitram |
jayapradam sarvavipat pramochanam vakshyaami shaivam kavacham hitaaya te ||

panchapoojaa

lam pruthivyaatmane gandham samarpayaami |
ham aakaashaatmane pushpaih poojayaami |
yam vaayvaatmane dhoopam aaghraapayaami |
ram agnyaatmane deepam darshayaami |
vam amrutaatmane amrutam mahaanaivedyam nivedayaami |
sam sarvaatmane sarvopachaara poojaam samarpayaami ||

rushabha uvaacha

namaskrutya mahaadevam vishvavyaapinam eeshvaram |
vakshye shivamayam varma sarvarakshaakaram nruNaam || 1 ||

shuchau deshe samaaseeno yathaavat kalpitaasanaha |
jitendriyo jitapraaNah chintayet shivam avyayam || 2 ||

hrutpunDareeka antara sannivishTam svatejasaa vyaapta nabhovakaasham |
ateendriyam sookshmam anantam aadyam dhyayet paraanandamayam mahesham
|| 3 ||

dhyaana avadhoota akhila karmabandhah chiram chidaananda nimagnachetaaha |
shaDaksharanyaaasa samaahitaatmaa shaivena kuryaat kavachena rakshaam || 4 ||

maam paatu devo akhila devataatmaa samsaarakoope patitam gabheere |
tannaama divyam paramantramoolam dhunotu me sarvamagham hrudistham || 5 ||

sarvatra maam rakshatu vishvamoortih jyotirmaya aanandaghanah chidaatmaa |
aNoraNiyaanurushaktirekah sa eeshvarah paatu bhayaadasheshaat || 6 ||

yo bhoosvaroopeNa bibharti vishvam paayaatsa bhoomergirishoshTamoortihi |
yopaam svaroopeNa nruNaam karoti sanjeevanam sovatu maam jalebhyaha || 7 ||

kalpaavasaane bhuvanaani dagdhvaa sarvaaNi yo nrutyati bhoorileelaha |
sa kaalarudrovatu maam daavaagneh vaatyaaadi bheeteh akhilaachcha taapaat || 8 ||

pradeepta vidyut kanakaavabhaaso vidyaavaraabheeti kuThaarapaaNihi |
chaturmukhah tatpurushah trinetrah praachyaam sthito rakshatu maamajasram || 9 ||

kuThaarakheTa ankusha shoolaDhakkaa kapaalapaashaaksha guNaandadhaanaha |
chaturmukho neelaruchih trinetrah paayaadaghoru dishi dakshiNasyaam || 10 ||

kundendu shankha sphaTikaavabhaaso vedaakshamaalaa varadaabhayaantakaha |
tryakshah chaturvaktra uruprabhaavah sadyodhijaatovatu maam prateechaam || 11 ||

varaakshamaalaa abhaya Tankahastah saroja kinjalka samaanavarNaha |
trilochanah chaaru chaturmukho maam paayaadudeechaam dishi vaamadevaha
|| 12 ||

veda abhayeshTa ankusha Tankapaasha kapaala Dhakkaakshara shoolapaaNihi |
sitadyutih panchamukhovataanmaam eeshaana oordhvam paramaprakaashaha || 13 ||

moordhaanam avyaanmama chandramauLih bhaalam mamaavyaadatha
bhaalanetraha |
netre mama avyaadbhaga netrahaaree naasaam sadaa rakshatu vishvanaathaha
|| 14 ||

paayaad shrutee me shrutigeetakeertih kapalam avyaat satatam kapaalee |
vaktram sadaa rakshatu panchavaktro jihvaam sadaa rakshatu vedajihvaha || 15 ||

kanTham gireeshovatu neelakanThah paaNidvayam paatu pinaakapaaNihi |
dormoolam avyaanmama dharmabaahuh vakshahsthalam dakshamakhaantakovyaat
|| 16 ||

mamodara paatu gireendradhanvaa madhyam mamaavyaan madanaantakaaree |
herambataato mama paatu naabhim paayaatkaTim dhoorjaTireeshvaro me || 17 ||

oorudvayam paatu kuberamitro jaanudvayam me jagadeeshvarovyaat |
janghaayugam pungavaketuravyaat paadau mamaavyaat suravandyapaadaha || 18 ||

maheshvarah paatu dinaadiyaame maam madhyayaamevatu vaamadevaha |
trilochanah paatu truteeyayaame vrushadvajah paatu dinaantyayaame || 19 ||

paayaannishaadau shashishekhara maam gangaadharo rakshatu maam nishethe |
gaureepatih paatu nishaavasaane mrutyunjayo rakshatu sarvakaalam || 20 ||

antahsthitam rakshatu shankaro maam sthaaNuh sadaa paatu bahihsthitam maam |
tadantare paatu patih pashoonaam sadaashivo rakshatu maam samantaat || 21 ||

tishThantamavyaad bhuvanaikanaathah paayaadvrajantam pramathaadhinaathaha |
vedaantavedyovatu maam nishaNNam maamavyayah paatu shivah shayaanam || 22 ||

maargeshu maam rakshatu neelakanThah shailaadi durgeshu puratrayaarihi |
araNyavaasaadi mahaapravaase paayaanmrugavyaadha udaarashaktihi || 23 ||

kalpaanta kaalogra paTu prakopa sphuTa aTTahaaso chalitaanDakoshaha |
ghoraari senaarNava durnivaara mahaabhayaad rakshatu veerabhadraha || 24 ||

pattyashva maatanga rathaavaroothinee sahasralakshaayuta koTibheeshaNam |
akshauhiNeenaam shatamaatatayinaam ChindyaanmruDo ghorakuThaara dhaarayaa
|| 25 ||

nihantu dasyoon pralayaanalaarchih jvalat trishoolam tripuraantakasya |
shaardoola simharksha vrukaadihimsraan santraasayatveeshadhanuh pinaakaha || 26 ||

duhsvapna duhshakuna durgati daurmanasya durbhiksha durvyasana duhsaha
duryashaamsi |
utpaata taapa visha bheetima sadgrahaartim vyaadheemshcha naashayatu me
jagataamadheeshaha || 27 ||

om namo bhagavate sadaashivaaya | sakala tatvaatmakaaya sarvamantra svaroopaaaya
sarvayantra adhishThitaaya sarvatantra svaroopaaaya sarvatatva vidooraaya
brahmarudra avataariNe neelakaNnThaaya paarvateemanohara priyaaya
somasooryaagni lochanaaya bhasmoddhooLita vighrahaaya mahaamaNi
mukuTadhaaraNaaya maaNikya bhooshaNaaya srushTi sthiti praLayakaala raudra
avataaraaya dakshaadhvara dhvamsakaaya mahaakaala bhedanaaya mooladhaaraika
nilayaaya tatvaateetaaya gangaadharaaya sarva devaadidevaaya shaDaashrayaaya
vedaantasaaraaya trivargasaadhanaaya anantakoTi brahmaanDa naayakaaya ananta
vaasuki takshaka karkoTaka shankha kulika padma mahaapadmeti ashTamahaanaaga
kulabhoooshaNaaya praNava svaroopaaaya chidaakaashaaya aakaasha diksvaroopaaaya
grahanakshatramaaline sakalaaya kalankarahitaaya sakala lokaikakartre sakala
lokaikabhartre sakala lokaikasamhartre sakala lokaikagurave sakala lokaikasaakshiNe
sakala nigamaguhyaya sakala vedaantapaaragaaya sakala lokaika varapradaaya
sakala lokaika shankaraaya sakala duritaarti bhanjanaaya sakalajaga abhayankaraaya
shashaankashekharaya shaashvata nijaavaasaaya niraakaaraaya niraabhaasaaya
niraamayaaya nirmalaaya nirmadaaya nishchintaaya nirahankaaraaya nirankushaaya
nishkalankaaya nirguNaaya nishkaamaaya niroopaplavaaya nirupadravaaya
niravadyaaya nirantaraaya nishkaaraNaaya niraatankaaya nishprapanchaaya
nihsangaaya nirdvandvaaya niraadhaaraaya neeraagaaya nishkrodhaaya nirlopaaya
nishpaapaaya nirbhayaaya nirvikalpaaya nirbhedaaya nishkriyaaya nistulaaya
nihsaMshayaaya niranjanaaya nirupamavibhavaaya nitya shuddha buddha mukta
paripoorNa sachchidaananda advayaaya paramashaanta svaroopaaaya paramashaanta
prakaashaaya tejorooapaaya tejomayaaya tejodhipataye jaya jaya rudra mahaarudra
mahaaraudra bhadraavataara mahaabhairava kaalabhairava kalpaantabhairava
kapaalamaalaadhara khaTvanga charmakhaDgadara paashaankusha Damaroo
shoola chaapa baaNa gadaa shakti bhindipaala tomara musala mudgara paasha
parigha bhushunDee shataghnee chakraadyaayudha bheeshaNaakaara sahasramukha
damshTraakaraalavadana vikaTaaTTahaasa visphaarita brahmaanDamanDala
naagendrakunDala naagendrahaara naagendravalaya naagendracharmadhara
naagendraniketana mrutyunjaya tryambaka tripuraantaka vishvarooapa viroopaaksha
vishveshvara vrushabhavaahana vishavibhooshaNa vishvatomukha sarvatomukha
maam raksha raksha jvala jvala prajvala prajvala mahaamrutyubhayam shamaya
shamaya apamrutyubhayam naashaya naashaya rogabhayam utsaadaya utsaadaya
vishasarpabhayam shamaya shamaya choraan maaraya maaraya mama shatroon
uchchaaTaya uchchaaTaya trishoolena vidaaraya vidaaraya kuThaareNa bhindhi
bhindhi khaDgena Chinddi Chinddi khaTvangelena vipodhaya vipodhaya musalena
nishpeshaya nishpeshaya baaNaih santaaDaya santaaDaya yaksha rakshaamsi
bheeshaya bheeshaya ashesha bhootaan vidraavaya vidraavaya kooshmaanDa bhoota

vetaala maareegaNa brahmaraakshasa gaNaan santraasaya santraasaya mama
abhayam kuru kuru mama paapam shodhaya shodhaya vitrastam maam aashvaasaya
aashvaasaya narakamahaabhayaan maam uddhara uddhara amrutakaTaaksha
veekshaNena maam aalokaya aalokaya sanjeevaya sanjeevaya kshuttrushNaartam
maam aapyaayaya aapyaayaya duhkhaaturam maam aanandaya aanandaya
shivakavachena maam aachChaadaya aachChaadaya hara hara mrutyunjaya
tryambaka sadaashiva paramashiva namaste namaste namaha ||

phalashrutihi

rishabha uvaacha

ityetat paramam shaivam kavacham vyaahrutam mayaa |
sarva baadhaa prashamanam rahasyam sarva dehinaam ||

yah sadaa dhaarayenmartyah shaivam kavacham uttamam |
na tasya jaayate kaapi bhayam shambhoh anugrahaat ||

ksheeNaayuh praaptamrutyurvaa mahaaroga hatopi vaa |
sadyah sukham avaapnoti deergham aayushcha vindati ||

sarva daaridrya shamanam saumaangalya vivardhanam |
yo dhatte kavacham shaivam sa devairapi poojyate ||

mahaapaataka sanghaataih muchyate cha upapaatakaihi |
dehaante muktim aapnoti shivavarma anubhaavataha ||

tvamapi shraddhayaa vatsa shaivam kavacham uttamam |
dhaarayasva mayaa dattam sadyah shreyo hyavaapsyasi ||

shreesoota uvaacha

ityuktvaa rushabho yogee tasmai paarthiva soonave |
dadau shankham mahaaraavam khaDgam cha arinishoodanam ||

punashcha bhasma sammantrya tadangam paritosprushat |
gajaanaam shaTsahasrasya triguNasya balam dadau ||

bhasmaprabhaavaat sampraapta balaishvarya dhruti smrutihi |
sa raajaputrah shushubhe sharadarka iva shriyaa ||

tamaaha praanjalim bhooyah sa yogee nrupanandanam |
esha khaDgo mayaa dattah tapomantra anubhaavataha ||

shitadhaaram imam khaDgam yasmai darshayase sphuTam |
sa sadyo mriyate shatruh saakshaan mrutyurapi svayam ||

asya shankhasya nirhraadam ye shruNvanti tavaahitaaha |
te moorchChitaah patishyanti nyastashastra vichetanaaha ||

khaDgashankhaavimau divyau parasainya vinaashakau |
aatmasainya svapakshaaNaam shaurya tejo vivardhanau ||

etayoshcha prabhaavena shaivena kavachena cha |
dvishaTsahasra naagaanaam balena mahataapi cha ||

bhasmadhaaraNa saamarthyaat shatrusainyam vijeshyase |
praapya simhaasanam pitryam goptaasi pruthiveem imaam ||

iti bhadraayusham samyaganushaasya samaatrukam |
taabhyaam sampoojitah so atha yogee svairagatiryayau ||

iti shree skanda mahaapuraaNe brahmottara khanDe shivakavacha prabhaava
|| varNanam naama dvaadashodhyaayah sampoorNam ||